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SEATTLE.

It is just the pleasure to announce the engagements of our popular young friends, Miss Utter to Chas. Gilmore, and Miss Annie Kitzl to LeRoy Bradbury. The wedding bells of one of the couples will ring early in the summer. Charles is a steady man, living on his little strawberry ranch in Sunnydale, half an hour ride from Seattle, and Le Roy is a union cabinet maker.

Mr. R. C. Miller was at the Thursday night social at the Lutheran Church hall, March 31st, and bade us good-bye. He left April 1st for Weepah, Nevada, where he wants to see what a real gold rush is, and intended to stop in San Francisco for a while. He will be away from Seattle for a year, but when he comes back, he will make his permanent home, saying there is nothing in the country to equal this section. He has traveled extensively so he is in a position to speak. In his talk on the platform before an interested crowd he lauded our minister, Rev. Geo. W. Gaertner and the church. His present of \$10 to the Lutheran employment bureau is very encouraging. We appreciate his kindness.

Mr. Miller's plans are to visit Los Angeles after about two months in Nevada, and then home in North Carolina about Christmas. We wish him a pleasant journey and Godspeed.

Mrs. Rowland, of Tacoma, was also at the Thursday night social, coming down to see a specialist and related the thrilling experience her husband, Will Rowland, had in tracing the thieves who robbed his truck of new tires and other auto accessories valued at \$100. Without the aid of the police, Will went and investigated and acted quickly. The suspected persons, while hauling wood noticed him, speeded 50 miles an hour, but the Tacoma boy chased and took the license number and identified the tires by certain marks. They are under arrest. Mr. Rowland is a quiet man but quick witted. He lives in a 16-acre chicken ranch about 8 miles from Tacoma. He has a brood of nearly 1,000 baby chicks hatched last month.

The social managed by Chairman Hugo Holcombe, at Carpenter's Hall, March 26th, for the benefit of the N. F. S. D. Division had an attendance of about 60 people. Several games and fancy dancing was indulged in. First prize for the best dancers went to Miss Helen Smith, of Mt. Vernon, and Frank Kelly, \$16, was realized and will be used for the expenses of the delegate to Denver next July.

Charles Gilmore has been laid up the past month with blood poisoning in his hand, caused by a small splinter in it. It is about well now.

A. H. Koberstein took a train, March 22d, for Corvallis, Oregon, to visit his father and mother, married sister and brother. He expects to be away three weeks.

Mrs. Ed. Martin has gone to Yakima to visit with her mother for a time and to show the new baby, who is growing very lustily. Ed. is with his father and mother in Seattle.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Root attended a party at Plymouth House the other night. It was given by the secretary of the Metropolitan merchant association of which Mr. Root is a member.

Mrs. Claude Ziegler underwent an operation for removal of tonsils recently. She is doing finely now. Mrs. Zelma Wilson kept house for her.

Mr. and Mrs. Claire Reeves and daughter Alice and the Haine family were among the dinner party at Miss Bertha Stowe's home Sunday, March 20th. The occasion was for Miss Stowe's mother's birthday. After the well arranged dinner, the Reeves family took Mrs. Stowe out for an hour's ride.

The Bertrams' athletic daughter, Marion, with a bunch of girls, hiked fifteen miles to Bothell and back last Saturday.

The mother of Mrs. Roy Harris, after a week's visit in Yakima stopped at the Harris residence for

several days before returning to her home in Ridgefield near Vancouver. She was delighted to see her daughter happily settled.

W. S. Root has received notice of the death of a rich uncle in the east but as said uncle left no will and there are several heirs. Mr. Root is not laying awake nights worrying over what to do with the surplus money.

Miss Bertha Stowe has issued invitations for a golden wedding celebration on April 16th. It is for her parents, who have been married fifty years. Among other things, Bertha is giving them \$50 in gold.

Mrs. May Wojoska, of Everett came down last week and spent a night with Mrs. Pauline Gustin. The next day, she started a three week sewing job for her cousin, as she is an expert dressmaker.

Bryan Wilson is working on a land-cleaning contract with his brothers, south of the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Chambers, of Port Angeles sold their home that they built and lived in for many years, for a nice sum. They are at present occupying an apartment and waiting for warmer days, when they intend to live in their big nice cabin on Lake Sutherland that has been their summer home the past few years. Mr. Chambers inherited a little income bequeathed by his a year ago.

It was just good luck that the writer secured an interesting account in the Franklin High School paper about Mr. and Mrs. Bertram's daughter. It stated that Marion Bertram is the most useful girl at the school, doing the mimeograph machine and attending her duties as chairman of all committees. She is also chairman of the Grade Advisers' Committee and an active member of the athletic club. Her life history was in it. Born in Tacoma, lived in various cities as Puyallup, Portland, Ore., and Toledo, Ohio. Graduated from John Muir School in Seattle. The most exciting experience in her life was when she was kicked by a horse at the age of eight. Being modest, Mrs. Bertram did not want this printed, but if goes any way.

There is an excellent article in the *Washingtonian*, the state paper by the deaf at Vancouver, by Superintendent E. S. Tillinghast of South Dakota: "Why Send Your Deaf Child to School?" It should be in every school paper in the Union, so that every deaf child's parents will see it.

PUGET SOUND.

FLINT

Active steps are now being taken among the deaf of the city in raising the Michigan quota towards the E. M. Gallaudet Memorial Fund. So far a little under \$50 has been raised in Flint, but the deaf of Detroit, Lansing, Kalamazoo, Grand Rapids and other cities will be asked for their contributions. As a starter a play will be given by the adult deaf of Flint in the auditorium of the Michigan School for the Deaf on the evening of Saturday, April 30th, for the benefit of the fund. Rehearsals are taken at frequent intervals. The committee in charge of the play tell us that the play will be a thriller, and yet mingled with a love romance. This will be the first play given by the adult deaf since the "Merchant of Venice" and "The Taming of the Shrew," in charge of Miss Mary Beattie before her departure for the Washington School at Vancouver, where a few years later she was married to Mr. Thomas P. Clarke.

Mr. J. White Thomas is chairman of the committee and will be assisted by Mrs. Helen J. Austin, Mrs. Margaret Thomas, Mrs. Arthur Dasse and Mr. Charles C. Marshall.

Mrs. Marietta Winans is spending several months with her daughter, Mrs. Beatrice Hendricks, at Toledo, Ohio. A day before her departure in the forepart of March, a few of her intimate friends were invited to a party at the new home of her younger daughter, Mrs.

Alena Prociissi, on Greenway Street Civic Park. Refreshments were served.

A delightful little party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Schreiber, Friday evening, March 25th, the occasion being the natal anniversary of his lordship. Frozen sherbet, among the refreshments served during the evening, was a new product of the iceless refrigerator just installed at their home.

A pot luck supper was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Eickhoff, on Oak Street, Saturday evening, March 26th, to help celebrate Mrs. Eickhoff's birthday. About thirty of her friends were present. A gift in the shape of a tea wagon was given Mrs. Eickhoff upon this occasion.

A successful and enjoyable balloon party was held at the Flint Social Club, Saturday evening, March 12th. A neat little sum was realized for the club's coffers.

Mrs. Littleton Long, of Devil's Lake, North Dakota, is in Flint, looking after her sister, Mrs. J. U. Piper, who is ill, owing to her advanced age. Their other sister, Mrs. Allen, died a few weeks ago.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Crippen on February 16th.

Mr. Roy Klock is building a four-room bungalow on North Street in the north end, and will offer it for sale.

While cranking his brother-in-law's auto last week, Mr. Leo Gorzenki had the misfortune of having his left hand hit by the treacherous crank. It was so badly hurt that Mr. Gorzenki will be laid up for several weeks.

Mrs. Abbie Sumner left last week for Arkansas, accompanied by her three children, for several months' visit with her mother, who is reported to be failing in health.

Mr. George W. Cook, who is one of the leading attorneys of Flint, is being mentioned as a candidate for the office of third federal judgeship for the eastern district of Michigan. He is backed by a large number of strong endorsements. Mr. Cook was for several years connected with the Michigan School for the Deaf as a teacher and is still an adept in the use of the sign language.

By an invitation of Mrs. Marion Greenwood, who is a member of St. Cecilia club, Mrs. G. F. Tripp, Mrs. P. L. Schreiber, Mrs. F. A. Lawrason and Mrs. E. M. Bristol took part in a swell function given by the club, at Hotel Durant on the of March 23d. Bridge was played.

Approximately 115 acres of land belonging to the Michigan School for the Deaf are proposed for sale in a bill submitted to the House of Representatives at Lansing to provide funds for construction of buildings, and they think the land is too valuable to be used for raising wheat and the money obtained by the sale of the land can be used to better advantage. The bill is still hanging fire at Lansing.

William W. Blackney, a prominent lawyer of Flint, was last week appointed by Governor Green as a member of the commission in charge of the Institute group, which consists of the Michigan School for the Deaf at Flint, the Michigan School for the Blind at Lansing, the Michigan Employment Institution for the Blind at Saginaw, and the State Public School at Coldwater.

The many friends of Mrs. Floyd Neal in Flint were shocked to hear of her death, which occurred at her home, about forty miles northeast from February 15th, after the birth of her second child. Mr. and Mrs. Neal made trips to Flint at frequent intervals in the past few years and took part in many of the club's functions.

Frank Edgerton, well known to many of the older residents of Flint and to the pupils of the Michigan School for the deaf in the early seventies, died at his home in the early part of March, after an illness extending over a period of five years. Mr. Edgerton was for many years an employee of the street cleaning department of the city. In 1898 he was married to Sarah Miles. Of the union three sons and one daughter were the result. Mrs. Edgerton died a few years ago.

Friends in this city are now and then receiving news from Mr. and Mrs. Nat Harris, who are located in Northern Florida. They enjoyed a close shave from the hurricane last summer.

Having sold their eighty-acre farm, Mr. and Mrs. John Snell have taken up their residence in the town of Swartz Creek.

E. M. BRISTOL.

Tacoma News

Another article containing good advertising for deaf auto drivers appeared in the December, 1926, issue of *Sunset Magazine* entitled, "Pull Up by the Side of the Road!" by Charles Reade (as told by him to the writer of the article), for fifteen years a traffic officer on western highways, and who is known by deaf autoists as their good friend through printed articles concerning him, in which he is quoted referring to them as among the best drivers. He is quoted—"the man most of us would rather not know professionally—unfortunately we do." In the course of the article, which also contained his picture, is the following:

"It is not necessary that a person have all his faculties to be an expert driver. One of the finest drivers I know is legless. Another is deaf. A third has but one arm. The legless man controls his gears with a system of levers and the fellow with one arm has to use a mechanical signalling device, but they get along better than most normal persons. All three of them have judgment."

Mr. and Mrs. Glen McNeish are nicely settled in a cosy little cottage which they are buying for their very own. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Huffman, with whom they boarded the past year, got up a house-warming and kitchen shower party for them last January 30th. The McNeishes have a little daughter, about eighteen months old, and they are a happy little family. They are near neighbors to the Lowells. Glen is still a loxing enthusiast and now and then his name appears on the sporting page of the Tacoma newspapers.

Frank Cater reappeared amongst us last January 30th, after being absent since last July, when he went to seek his fortune in Nevada. He says he may get a car and drive back there next June, where prospects for entering business look good to him.

The Nilsons returned last January 6th, from Portland, where Mr. Nilson went to seek work a month or so previous. "There's no place like Tacoma," they say, and they are glad to be back among their old friends again. Mrs. Nilson has secured employment at an overall factory, while her husband is still minus a job—when last reported.

Mr. James Manley is still at his old job working in a restaurant at Puyallup since his return last September from Boise, Idaho, where he went last April to seek work.

William Rowland purchased a new Chevrolet touring car with balloon tires some time ago. He sold his old Ford to Edwin Cruzan, who traded it for a used Ford of a later make.

There were twelve Olathe, Kansas, Alumni present at the party given by Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Key at their home last January 29th. They were Mr. J. A. and Mrs. (Bodley) Key, Mrs. A. W. (Stella Bodley) Lorenz, Mrs. Eva (Berglund) Seely, Mrs. J. E. Woodridge, Mrs. Wm. Rowland, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Stuard and Mrs. Russell Wainscott, of Tacoma; Mr. John T. Bodley and Mrs. W. E. Brown, of Seattle; and Mr. Glenn A. Pierson.

After more than a year of it, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Key decided that they do not like apartment house life, so on February 25th they moved into a real house at 3814 East Spokane Avenue, where they can enjoy keeping a little garden.

"Tacoma for me," says Miss Edna Smith, erstwhile of Seattle, but who has for some time been boarding with Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Lorenz in Tacoma. She hopes to make her permanent home here if she can secure employment.

Mrs. A. W. Lorenz was the "victim" of a surprise birthday party on February 27th, when seventeen hearing ladies, members of the Sunshine Community Club of her neighborhood, of which she and her husband are members, walked in on her. She was presented with a beautiful four-foot palm, set in a pretty jardiniere. Delicious refreshments, brought by the guests, were served, and in the evening the men folks of the party dropped in, and "500" was played till 1 A.M.

The "3 in 1" (Lincoln, St. Valentine and Washington) Costume party, given by the Silent Glad Hand Club, on Saturday evening, February 19th, at the Masonic Hall, Fern Hill, was well attended, despite inclement weather. There were over eighty, including a good crowd from Seattle and other points. The party was continued all night—for time passes all too quickly at our big affairs, and in these days of automobiles one "should worry" about street cars not running after midnight, and the non-car owners have their choice of leaving at midnight or remaining till the street cars start running again in the morning.

There was various entertainment on the program; a hearing lady played the piano while Mrs. Wm. Rowland, appropriately costumed, rendered in signs "America" (which was later repeated by request), and John Gerson signed "The Star Spangled Banner"—and you could hear the "bombs bursting in air!"

A hearing girl gave some fancy dancing, which won applause. The "Gold Dust Twins" (little Elinor Seely and her playmate) were an attraction and did their part well—oh no, they were not housecleaning, they were indulging in the more modern pastime of having a good time! Several small prizes were given to those holding lucky numbers—most of them laugh provokers—the prizes we mean, not the winners! Mr. John Adams, of Seattle, carried off the first prize, a silver tomato server, costume as Martha Washington—a crepe-paper creation.

Miss Mabel Siegel was awarded second prize, a rubber tea apron; and "Gold Dust Twins," third, a box of candy. The judges were Dr. Olof Hanson and Mrs. Victoria Smith, of Seattle, and the latter's hearing son, of this city.

Admission to the party was fifty cents. Refreshments of sandwiches, coffee, cookies and apples were served. Ice-cream and candy was sold.

The rest of the time was filled playing "500" by those so inclined, while others danced and chatted. Miss Addie Medley, of Hoquiam, and the Emericks, of Aberdeen, were among those present from out of town. Mr. Jacob Seivert, of Ashton, Iowa, who was visiting in Seattle, was an interesting visitor. He said he expected to return home in about two weeks, in time to begin planting on the farm.

The surprise of the evening (which nearly knocked us off our feet) came, when in strutted Mr. Lawrence Belsar, a supposed confirmed bachelor, of Seattle, bearing on his arm a winsome bride, formerly Mrs. Nancy Dunn, of Edwall, Wash. Remember that picture of your "Wedding Day," Lawrence? Congratulations in that you beat 'em to it!

George Ecker met with some adventure in the wet "ma" hours of the morning, while playing "the chivalrous gentleman." He had taken some of the ladies at the above party to their homes in his little lizzie about 3:30 A.M., and was returning to the hall for his family at a good clip, when a big car drove past him. He slowed down and next thing he knew he was facing a flashlight and two cops. He stopped his car and the cops got busy searching his pockets and car for evidence of booze, guns, loot, etc., but finding nothing to indicate that he was either "drunk" or a "robber," he was let go after explaining the why of being aboard at such hours. It was 5 A.M. before he reached home with his family.

Another party followed a week after the "3 in 1" affair, on the

evening of the 26th, at a hall in the Horsfall Building, South 38th and Yakima Avenue, under the auspices of the T. A. D. Although smaller in number of attendance, it was enjoyed by those present.

There was a small crowd from Seattle and Aberdeen. There was a "stage" program, one of the participants thereof being the 72-year-old father of Mrs. C. P. Stuard, who danced a jig in demonstration of his "youth." Prizes were awarded to the holders of lucky "names." The rest of the evening was given over to "500," which seems to dominate such affairs these days, and those not participating in the game indulged themselves in "chewing the rag." Delicious refreshments of sandwiches, coffee and cake were served, and the party dispersed at midnight.

On Saturday morning, February 26th, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hale drove to Aberdeen in their Chevrolet and brought back with them the same day, Mr. and Mrs. Emerick, Miss Marie Coic and Peter Coic, all of whom attended the above party. They were the guests of the Hales over night, and on Sunday made the return trip to Aberdeen in the Hales' car. The trip one way is made a little over two and half hours.

Miss Marie Coic and her hearing sister are conducting a marcel curling business in Aberdeen—the first instance of a deaf lady being in this business in this region, so far as we have learned. They are meeting with success and contemplate expanding in the near future. Marie can speak well and is a good lip-reader.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kitkoski, of Aberdeen, have a little daughter, Joan, nine months old. Mrs. Kitkoski was formerly Felice Coic, sister of Marie and Peter Coic—all deaf. Her husband is a hearing man.

Mrs. Kitkoski has been taking weekly trips to Seattle for over a year for medical treatment for a tumor in her right arm.

John "Rockefeller" Gerson believes in advertising. One day last December, his little white spitz wandered away from home and got lost. Next day John advertised in the Tacoma newspaper and that same evening, in response to the "ad," a little boy came to his house and informed him that he had picked up a dog of that description near his home several blocks away. John accompanied the boy to his home and sure enough, there was "spitzie"—as tickled as could be to see its master again!

SPOKANE SPOT-LIGHTS.

Mrs. Belle Bergh's married son, Paul, was badly injured on March 7th, when he jumped from a freight car to avoid a collision and landed on a rock. He was taken to a hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sackville-West entertained at a Hard Time party, at their home on February 26th.

Mr. Wm. J. LaMotte is still in Spokane and still minus a job. He is boarding at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Magnuson. He transferred from the Portland N. F. S. D. Division to the Spokane Division some time ago.

Mr. James H. O'Leary was elected delegate to the N. F. S. D. convention at Denver, next July, and Mr. John E. Skoglund is alternate delegate.

Mrs. Carl Magnuson was quite ill with the "flu" last February.

TACOMA BOOSTER.

ST. MATTHEW'S LUTHERAN MISSION FOR THE DEAF.

Services every Sunday at 3 o'clock in the church on South 9th Street, between Driggs Avenue and Roebling Street, Brooklyn. The Church is located near the Plaza of the Williamsburg Bridge.

Meeting of the class at the Parish House of St. Matthew's Church on 145th and Convent Avenue, every Friday night from 6:30 to 8 P.M. Assembly room on the third floor of Parish House.

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The Capital City.

The National Literary Society will hold its regular monthly meeting Wednesday evening, April 20, at North East Masonic Temple. The main speaker of the evening will be Mr. Frederick H. Hughes, a professor at Gallaudet College. Anyone missing this part of the program will surely be missing considerable for Mr. Hughes is well known for his excellent subjects and clear cut rendition of them.

Next on the program will be debate, subject to be announced at meeting, between two young ladies of the city, Miss Ruth Leitch and Miss Jennie Jones. Following the debate will be a rendition of a poem, the person and subject to be announced at meeting. So you can for yourself see that a well balanced and interesting program is offered to any tastes, which is hoped will be numerous.

Washington may be without an Episcopal minister in the near future due to the transfer of the Rev. Henry J. Pulver to the place left vacant by Rev. F. Simeau. Washington regrets the departure of Rev. Pulver and hopes that he will like his new place. His address will be 1300 Herr Street, Harrisburg, Pa.

Mrs. Blaine, who has been sick in bed the last few weeks, is slowly recovering.

The Washington deaf rejoice with the Maryland deaf in their victory in securing equal rights with the hearing in driving their cars. Up to this time the deaf Capitalites visiting Maryland in their autos had to follow the same rules as bound the Marylanders themselves to follow—you know the old saying "When in Rome, do as the Romans do," and that fits the above case to a nicety.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Council, having moved to their new home at 5317 Kansas Avenue, N. W., wish to have everyone see their new home from cellar to attic, so have announced a housewarming party on the 16th of April, to which a cordial invitation is extended every one who wishes to make use of same.

Mr. Thomas Wood, having tired of his Ford coupe and possibly tired of seeing a big bank account, went off and in place of his Ford coupe secured for himself an up-to-date Nash sedan, 5-passenger capacity. Who said the Washington deaf are not thrifty and progressive.

Another auto purchaser has come into notice. Mr. Jacob Eskin has purchased for himself and company too—a chevrolet.

On Friday evening, April 8th, Miss Jennie Jones gave an informal party to her sister, Mrs. Bolton from North Carolina, who is visiting her. Those present were the Hesters, Miss Jennie Jones, the guest in honor, Mrs. T. Bolton, Miss Ruth Leitch, Miss Freda Jones, Mr. Robert Werdig and the Messrs. C. Miller, J. Deady, T. Flood, O. Reins and J. Collins, of the Phi Alpha Sigma Fraternity of Gallaudet College. Riddles were indulged in, in which T. Flood proved to be the best answerer, coming off with the prize. Then followed an Advertising game, at which Mrs. Bolton showed herself an adept, winning the prize offered for that game. Next came a game called "Charades." C. Miller won a prize for this. Refreshments were served and everyone became acquainted with the other over the "coffee cups." To end up the evening, Mr. Werdig gave each and everyone a nice ride in his big Chandler Sedan, driving them to their very doors.

Saturday evening, April 9th, the Washington Division, No. 46, held its annual smoker. Eight candidates were put through the cleansing process and every one came out a full fledged "Frat." A play was then given followed by big cats and to top off the evening, cigars were passed around. A big crowd attended and needless to say each and everyone went home feeling well rounded around the waist and perfectly contented with himself.

Remember the next social in the from of Literary Society meeting comes off on Wednesday, April 20th. All welcome. The next social following will be Tuesday, April 26th, under auspices of Calvary Baptist Church—all welcome here, too.

JEN AND BOB.

THE DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL (published by the New York Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb, at 163d Street and Fort Washington Avenue) is issued every Thursday; it is the best paper for deaf-mutes published; it contains the latest news and correspondence: the best writers contribute to it.

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Whenever wrong is done
To the humblest and the weakest
'Neath the all-beholding sun—
That wrong is also done to us,
And they are slaves most base,
Whose love of right is for themselves,
And not for all the race."

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Notice concerning the whereabouts of individuals will be charged at the rate of ten cents a line.

THE two-hundredth anniversary of the birthday of Samuel Heinicke, founder of the oral method of instructing the deaf, was celebrated in Germany, on April 10th.

Early in March, during the absence of the editor, a circular letter was sent to the JOURNAL, endorsed by Dr. A. Adamczyk, Principal of the Provincial Institution for the Deaf-Dumb (Taubstummen Anstalt), asking that the deaf institutions, clubs, etc., purchase a plaster bust of Heinicke, the creation of Ludwig Buscher, a deaf-mute sculptor. The bust is life size, and the features are said to be faithfully and faultlessly carved.

Samuel Heinicke, was a soldier who was sympathetically attracted to the deaf. He devised a method of teaching them by speech and began the school at Leipzig almost simultaneously with the Abbe de l'Epee in Paris, whose method was by signs and the manual alphabet.

Therefore it is not the method of teaching the deaf that is honored in purchasing a bust of Heinicke, but rather the man that brought the boon of education within the grasp of the neglected deaf and dumb of his day.

A brief biography can also be purchased at a slight extra charge.

We are indebted to Mr. Emil Basch for a translation of the German text of the circular. The price of the bust and freight charges is given as 38 Reichs-mark—just how many dollars that is must be determined by the value of a Reich-mark at the time of ordering.

The deaf-mute sculptor, Ludwig Buscher, can be addressed for further information and definite prices with delivery in the United States, at 89 Johannistrasse, Osnabruck, Germany.

Dr. Newton F. Walker.

One by one the grand old men of the profession are passing, the last one to go being Dr. Newton F. Walker, of South Carolina. As far as the past as the writer can remember, Dr. Walker stood out as a leader, and on down the many years that it has been my good fortune to know him, he has continued to be a leader in the profession. He was a knightly gentleman of the old Southern school, the type of which, I am sad to say is rapidly passing into history. It has been to me a great privilege to have known and to have loved this good man. He has always been an incentive to greater and nobler aims. We grieve with South Carolina in the loss of one of her greatest citizens. We grieve with the deaf and Blind of South Carolina in the loss of their leader, one whose place will be hard to fill. To Laurens, to Al, to Horace, and to all the immediate loved ones, we stand with bared heads and with sorrowing hearts, and with them look beyond this vale, and hope sometime, somewhere, to clasp hands "In the Land of the Hereafter."

—W. O. C.

NEW YORK.

News items for this column should be sent direct to the DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL, Station M, New York.

A few words of information in a letter or postal card is sufficient. We will do the rest.

ST. ANN'S.

The Lenten season at St. Ann's Church for the Deaf established a still higher record for church attendance. Last year the attendance was better than ever before, this year it has been even better than that. The Rev. Mr. Kent, Vicar, delivered an interesting series of addresses on the "The Hebrew Prophets" at the Friday evening prayer services. Weekly services were also held at Newark, Paterson, and Brooklyn. A large crowd was present at St. Ann's on Good Friday to see the Vicar tell the story of the Crucifixion in his most vivid style of signs.

Easter Sunday at St. Ann's Church for the Deaf was observed by the annual huge crowd that filled the pews to standing room. The sermon was preached by the Rev. John H. Kent, and was on the subject of the immortality of the soul and the new life after death. The Holy Communion was celebrated by him and his assistant, the Rev. Mr. Braddock. About 180 people took Communion. Nearly the whole parish of St. Ann's was present from far distant points in New York, New Jersey, and Long Island.

The Altar and Chancel decorations were rather more profuse than ever before, and the choir was clad in new violet cassocks and caps which added to the eye-attractiveness of the occasion. Several hymns were beautifully recited by the choir, which consisted of Mrs. Wanda Burke, choir-leader, and Misses Jessie Garrick, Eleanor Sherman, Doris Patterson, Ethel Brenneisen, Elsie Schwing, and Ione Dible. Edmund Hicks served as crucifer, and Robert A. Kerstetter as reader of responses.

After the service, which began at 3 o'clock and ended at 5 o'clock in the afternoon, the Guild Rooms in the parish house were opened to inspection and use. A great change was apparent to those visitors who had not seen these rooms since last year. Gone are the old pool-tables and the rickety chairs of last year. In their place are a number of comfortable, well-cushioned settees and armchairs, upholstered in enticing cretonne. Curtains are on the big windows, and rugs are on the once bare floors. Magazines grace the reading table. The place attracts people and gives a feeling of being at home.

Many of the congregation remained until late in the evening. A cafeteria supper was arranged in the Tea Room by Mrs. Isabella S. Fosmire and Miss Nettie Miller. So many came to sup that more tables had to be laid, and the food gave out entirely. The two hostesses, aided by several volunteer assistants, took care of as many people as they could. Conversation and the renewing of old acquaintances occupied the entire evening in the Guild Rooms. So passed another Easter at St. Ann's—typical, but with new points of interest this year.

You are requested not to be formal at the V. B. G. A. Mardi Gras Saturday evening, April 30th, to which you, of course, are going. There the true spirit of the carnival will hold sway. If you can, wear dominoes for greater comfort. And don't forget the wonderful chance to show what a good actor or mimic you are in the contest for the best impersonation of a movie star. Don't let others get ahead of you; get into it yourself!

If you have some claim to good looks and physical fitness, you might also try your luck in the contest for the King and Queen of the Mardi Gras, which will take place some time after nine in the evening.

There will also be a time for play and a time for dancing. Read the advertisement, make a date, and then come!

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Greenberg, having reached their 13th marital milestone, a flock of friends invaded their residence last Saturday, April 10th, to offer their congratulations and best wishes. Incidentally a few gifts were left behind as a tribute of the esteem and affection in which the young couple are held. Over four score of friends were present. It would be unjust to mention names for fear of omitting any, but in a corner we espied several gentlemen—Messrs. Sturtz, Miller, Fischer, Peters, Goldberg, Kenner and Weissman—busily engaged in a game of "ping-pong."

All in all, it was a delightful evening well spent.

Ruben Fishel made another pilgrimage to Hollywood. Long Branch, N. J., last week. Though his dad conducts a school there, it is said that there are other attractions that finds him at that place so frequently.

Morris Fleischer had a narrow escape not long since. It was while he was operating the Ludlow in the place where he is employed. He was burned about the face and hands, but luckily none of the hot metal came in contact with his eyes.

Moses Schnapp, who had his index finger removed, may perhaps have lost part of his deaf-mute speech, but he can and does attend to his business as usual. He has installed an up-to-date press and greatly improved his place of business, and is now thinking of moving to larger quarters.

Henry Kohlman, who with Messrs Hodgson and S. I. Fogarty made a trip to the West Indies a short time ago, proudly exhibited a photograph of himself to his friends at the Deaf-Mutes' Union League last week, in the uniform of the chief officer of the ship.

The Fanwood Alumni Association will hold its third annual banquet at the National Young Women's Christian Association Headquarters, 600 Lexington Avenue (52d and 53d Street), on Saturday evening, April 23d.

John Uhl, a graduate of Fanwood, who while at school was the star slaban, and after graduating played semi-professional base-ball, underwent a surgical operation on his nose on March 16th, and was obliged to absent himself two weeks from his place of employment, at the Ward Leonard Electric Company, Mt. Vernon, N. Y.

On Tuesday evening, April 12th, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Grossinger's friends and the Bonheur Girls gave a Farewell party in honor of the newlyweds, who have just come from their wonderful honeymoon to Bermuda Island, at the of Mr. and Mrs. Meyers Weinberger's.

An interesting trip story was told by them and lovely refreshments were served to all.

Mr. and Mrs. Grossinger now are residing at their future home at the Grossinger Hotel in Ferndale.

Mrs. Marcus A. Marks was tendered a surprise birthday party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Wasserman.

Recently a party was given by the Brownsville Silent Association Club. A little boy, named Myron Levin, seven, son of Dr. and Mrs. Levin, picked a lucky number slip of 562. A five dollar gold-piece was awarded to Nicholas Masi.

The H. A. D., now issue a monthly sheet called the *H. A. D. News*. Sol. Garson, its president, is the Editor and Publisher.

Charles Sanford, the Jeweler, has removed to 65 Nassau Street, room 78.

DETROIT.

Remember! Remember! Lutheran Social at Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Englebrecht, 39 Batavia Avenue, River Rouge, April 23d. All welcome.

Mayor Smith will lecture at the Detroit Fraternal Club, April 16th. April 11th to April 7th, Mission of the Catholic Deaf by the Rev. Father Gehl, of Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

At the N. F. S. D. business meeting, April 2d, it was decided the time was not good for trying to land the next convention of the N. F. S. D. in 1930. It then but some time Division No. 2 will do its bit again and it will be another unforgettable chapter in fraternal history.

The social at John Berry's was well attended. They express thanks to those who helped make it a success through the JOURNAL column.

Mrs. Arthur Jean had six friends come in on the second, to remind her she was a year older.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith, of Ypsilanti, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hellers.

Mrs. Clyde Beach and daughter are visiting her mother in Flint.

Mr. and Mrs. Osmond, of Royal Oak, whose home was destroyed by fire some time ago, are now having it rebuilt.

Through the efforts of C. C. Buxton and the kindness of Senator Couzens, a large map of the United States now hangs on the walls of the Detroit Fraternal Club.

Mr. Goodman, of New York, was a visitor here, while on his way to Chicago on a business trip.

The girls of Finks Overly Department, where Miss Anna Paetou is employed, gave her a farewell shower Friday, it being her last day. She returned to her home in Romeo to make the final preparations to her bridal trousseau.

Margaret, the three months old infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon French, passed away on the first of April after a brief illness. She was laid to rest in Forest Lawn Cemetery. We extend our sympathy to them.

Miss Helen Stone invited some twenty of Mrs. George Petroimouk's friends to the latter's home on the first and gave her the best birthday party of her life. Games were played and dainty refreshments were served.

We are glad to report R. V. Jones' infected leg is slowly improving.

The D. A. D. had a large crowd to see the literary program on the third. The debate, "Resolved that the teacher gives the world a greater service than the nurse," proved very interesting. The judges could only declare it a tie.

Mrs. Alex Lobsinger and Miss Lucy Buchan supported the affirmative side, while Mrs. W. Behrendt and Mrs.

Frank Allera had the negative. Mrs. Clarence Kubisch gave some very clever impersonating. It closed with America by Mrs. J. Pastori. Mr. J. Pastori acted as Critic.

John Ulrich and Wm. Miladin, of Wyandotte, are now taking the JOURNAL, feeling that it is the best way to keep up with the world at large.

(SECOND LETTER)

Remember! Remember! Mr. and Mrs. William Englebrecht have a good social for all, April 23d, 39 Batavia Avenue, River Rouge.

Social—"Ask me another," on May 14th, under the auspice of Detroit Drive, No. 2, N. F. S. D., at the Detroit Fraternal Club.

A new fifteen by nine flag gracefully hangs on the platform at the D. F. Club.

The reception at St. John's Parish House for Rev. Franklin Smielau on the eighth was well attended. An address of welcome was made by Mrs. Horace B. Waters in behalf of Detroit. Mrs. May, as president spoke for the Ladies' Guild and Mr. Lonsdale for Ephphatha Mission. Rev. Smielau accepted, with his winning smile. In return he told of his pleasure in coming, his regret at leaving Pennsylvania and his expectations here, hoping for loyal support with pocketbook as well as soul. Ice cream and cake were served to all. The rest of the evening was spent in getting acquainted.

Miss Emily Anderson, of Superior, Wisconsin, who has moved to our city to live with her parents, was a visitor at the reception Friday evening. She lives near the Balls on Glendale. They are helping her to get acquainted.

The biggest crowd in the history of the Detroit Fraternal Club greeted Rev. Smielau, Saturday evening. His theme was "See America First" and his travels in the west. He hopes to be able to go again this summer. After the lecture a drawing on a suit of clothes took place. A hearing man drew the first prize and Mrs. Tom Kenney, the second, \$5 in cash.

Some of the out-of-town visitors present were Mr. and Mrs. L. Blum, Miss Emma Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Richard King, Mr. Clarence Lee, Miss Nellie Lindsey, Mrs. Ben Green, Mr. and Mrs. John Curry and Mr. N. Hemick, all of Toledo. Mr. N. Hemick invited all Detroiters, up to Toledo April 30th, to a social there, to be held at St. Joseph Club on Erie Street.

Mrs. Aloys Japes and daughter, Margaret, are visiting her parents in Saginaw.

Mrs. Max Crittenden is spending two weeks with her sister in Columbia City, Indiana.

Thirty friends of Mrs. Laura Walker dropped in and surprised her, it being her natal day. A good time was enjoyed by all.

Every one was overjoyed to see their old friends, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Whitehead, out to see Rev. Smielau's lecture. It was their first visit to the Fraternal Club.

Last week, one night while returning home from the D. A. D., John J. Hellars was field up near his home. Two men sprang on him from behind and choked him. He had less than a dollar in his pocket and luckily had left his watch at home. He managed to scream some, and they quickly ran away, as somebody heard him and rapped on a window.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hellars entertained Mrs. and Mrs. Ed. Ball to Sunday dinner on the tenth.

Mrs. Frank Smith, of Ypsilanti, came up to attend the Smielau lecture and Church Sunday. While here she was the guest of the Behrendts.

Detroit housewives seem to be busy cleaning house and getting ready for summer, so there are few parties or doings to write up.

Mrs. Wm. BEHRENDT.

Fish Age Facts

How long do fish live? Maj. F. S. Fowler in a lecture before the London Zoological society, gave some interesting data on a special study he has conducted on this subject.

An electric eel in the London zoo, it was reported, lived twelve years. A European catfish in the private aquarium of the Duke of Benford is fifty years old and shows little indication of weakness.

Other fish age figures given by Major Fowler, says a writer in Science Magazine, were: Carp, thirteen years; goldfish, twelve years; herring, four years; salmon, three years; bullfrog, fifteen years; tree frog, fourteen years; female Spanish newt, eighteen years; and salamander, fifty-two years.

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KANSAS

Rev. Ferber, of Kansas City, preached to a big crowd of deaf-mutes at the Lutheran Church at 9th and South Market, Wichita, two weeks ago on Sunday afternoon. He comes out to Wichita to preach every other week. He is well understood by all in his sign language.

Joe Cox, great oil thinker, is helping his son-in-law near Oxford, Kansas, on his farm. His son-in-law is working at the oil fields and gets \$10 a day.

Frank Burges, wife, baby and mother moved to Wichita again from Arkansas, where they lived on a farm. He said that they had a terrible storm, which destroyed everything. Now he has a good job with Jones, who runs a feed store. Jones sold his place for \$60,000 recently. He is going to erect a new building as soon as possible.

Mr. Thompson, of Winfield, Kansas, made a flying trip to Wichita, where he attended the religious service for deaf at the First Baptist Church, on the 3d, inst. His wife is in Sharon, Kansas, visiting her folks for a week. Mr. Thompson has a steady job at the former city.

Mr. Omoss, product of the Kansas School for the Deaf, was in Wichita last Sunday, attending the religious services conducted by Rev. Rogers. He was interpreted by Miss Pugh into the sign language in the presence of a big crowd of deaf-mutes.

Alex Benoit has been employed as shoemaker and shoe repairer at Salina, Kansas, for a long time. His work is well appreciated by everybody. He has a nice family.

Dalton Fuller, who is still nursing his two bad cut fingers, gets fifteen a week from the insurance company. He is recovering fast and expects to return to his duties as cabinet maker and machinist before long. He is getting to be a great big man.

Another mute, by the name of B. R. Keach, met with an accident by cutting his thumb badly at the United States Sash and Door Mill in Wichita. He has been at work for many years, but he did not complain about the insurance.

Another mute, named Joe Spiskys, whose finger was badly cut by a saw at the Ellis Construction Co., recently, is still working. He has been employed as laborer there for a long time.

Archie Grier and Sherman are laid off from the airship shop at this time, but will return to their places soon.

Frank Fisher, still farming for himself at Stafford, Kan., stopped at Wichita recently on his way home. He also raises poultry, which he believes will make good money.

Another mute, by the name of Chas. H. Bell, who bought a good 160-acre farm near Wellington, Kansas, last year, is running a big poultry business. He saw many buffalo in the West when he was young. He is a product of the Kansas School for the Deaf.

Mr. Sleeper traded his residence on Paradise Avenue for an 80-acre farm near Newton, Kansas, last February. He intends to make a big garden and run a poultry business.

B. R. Keach, Archie Grier and Kauffman were elected as delegates from Wichita N. F. S. D. Division to go to the Denver convention in July.

Ross Davison was returned to his duties as baker at the Wolf & Parrott Bakery after ten months recovering from the accident. He was given light work. He sued the Yellow Cab Co. for \$25,000 damages. The Yellow Cab Co. settled with Ross for half of that amount. Ross accepted the offer. Wish him good luck in the future.

His wife, having been operated for tumors and confined in Wesley Hospital for sixteen days, until last week, was brought home.

Mr. Posposil, formerly of Omaha, has been in Wichita, living with his favorite nephew for several months. He attends to his business at the Cudahy packing house. They motored to Lincoln, Omaha, and other points and then to Kansas City and Texas. They do not expect to come back to the Sunflower State.

There was an election of new officers of the Baptist Young People's Union Class for the Deaf last week, in Wichita, at the First Baptist Church. The new officers are: Mrs. Pearl Dibble, President, Mr. Joe Spiskys, Vice-President, and Stanley Dibble, Secretary and Treasurer.

Mrs. Hilton had the advantage of going with her friend in an auto to McPherson, Kansas, over Sunday, where they made a pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. Tipton. Mr. Tipton raises poultry and make lots of money.

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Beat him to a purple pulp and kick him on his way!

Have a burly bluecoat come and jam him into jail!

Let him lie in filth all night because he can't give bail!

Loud the crowded courtroom screams at his hapless plight!

Like Romans did when Christians died without a chance for flight.

And yet Chicago teems with deaf who simply can not see

The need of banding closely with the mighty N. A. D.

Beaten, robbed; and then arrested because he was deaf! And the case laughed out of police court after a night in jail—because it happened to happen on April Fool's Day!

Such was the fate of Peter Kranza. En route to the Silent A. C. meeting, April 1st, Kranza was accosted at 38th and State Streets, at 8 o'clock, by a negro with a gun. Kranza knocked him down, and was set upon from behind by three other negroes, who beat him unmercifully, robbed him of his \$20 pay envelope, and fled. Arising, Kranza set out in chase, only to be stopped by a policeman, who took him to the station in the belief he was drunk. After a night in jail, he was hauled, bleeding and battered, before the court, where in poor English he wrote out his version of the story. A phone call verified his assertion he had secured his pay from his firm that evening, whereon everyone had a good laugh. "Case dismissed," said the judge.

Yet some rattle-brained silents (how dumb they be) can't see the need of a powerful N. A. D. Out of an estimated 5000 deaf in Chicago, there can't be over 200 Nads in the number.

The same night a robber entered the room of Alfred Arnot and broke the locks of his wardrobe trunk and suit-cases in search of money. Failing to find any, he probably muttered, "I'm an April Fool," and departed, taking nothing of value.

Pledges totaling \$1,200 were secured April 9th, when the M. E. campaign for a \$50,000 endowment fund was launched at the M. E. "citadel." For Chicago is a city of "Go." A cafeteria supper at five, managed by Mesdames Meagher, Sharpnack, Martin, Elwell and Misses Jacoba and Groves, netted \$27. From 7:30 to 9, the evening was devoted to the sensational "drive" for pledges already mentioned, after which came games for prizes, managed by Chairman Charlie Sharpnack.

Chi-Oral-106 Division of the splendid National Fraternal Society of the Deaf pulled off another of their celebrated "Ten Strikes," on the 9th, under the management of Robert Blair himself. "Opposite Sex Party" it was called—boys dressing as girls, and girls dressing as boys. From beginning to end, it was a scream. Joe Wondra, the crack comedian, arrayed as a bathing belle of 1886—and an uglier looking dame never distressed one's sight. Neither Wondra nor another pro-vaudevilian figured in the prize awards, which testifies to the varied excellence of the affair. After two hours of horse-play, the judges—W. Barrow, M. Neilhan, Mrs. A. Roberts and Miss L. Lamb—compelled the procession of some forty mis-sexed souls to parade a full half hour while making deliberate selections. Awards were: Men: 1—Mrs. Fredo Hyman, 2—Mrs. Gus Hyman, 3—Mrs. Ed Carlson, 4—Miss Irene Hartman. "Women" 1—Harold Libbey, 2—Martin Moss, 3—Horace Perry, 4—F. Wirt. Attendance 175; at Lake Shore Hall—Chi-Oral-106, pursuing a policy of holding each social event in a different hall, gradually interesting new eligibles at each social, and thus increasing membership. Prize money totaled \$20.

The Home for Aged Deaf held a small cafeteria and 500 on the 7th, the proceeds buying prizes for the 500 at Hartman's huge auditorium, Saturday afternoon, the 9th. Due to insufficient time to advertise, this Hartman affair drew only seven tables, in a hall with a fifty-table capacity.

The Pas-a-Pas Club is to be commended on assigning a man to notify the Chicago office of the JOURNAL of dates and club news, something all the two dozen various local organizations might well adopt. Frank A. Johnson, who seems to be to the Pas what Johnnie Sullivan is to the Sac, and what Francis P. Gibson is to the N. F. S. D., is this Man of the Hour. He states at the last business meeting, the Pas-a-Pas Club voted to bestow life membership on Richard l'Hommedieu Long in token of his membership of several dozens of years, during which he has been one of the pillars of the club.

It seems that some time ago the powerful fraternal "Ben-Hur" permitted some of the Chicago deaf to organize a division, known as "silent court No. 594." This organization gives its first informal dance and reception April 30th, at Alma Mater Hall, 1643 Milwaukee Avenue.

Jacob E. Tuttle, of Rockford, is visiting his beautiful daughter in Evanston. Although seventy-six years of age, Tuttle is spry and en-

ergetic, and is enjoying deafdom's social life with a vim. While visiting the Home for Aged Deaf he was surprised to meet an old classmate, J. Cox, whom he had not seen for half a century.

The Silent A. C. is taking up athletics in earnest. Picked teams indulge in volley-ball games at the Sac every Wednesday and Friday night during the winter, and now the Hermans (Belling and Baim) are organization a baseball team.

After working spasmodically at her profession of Monotype keyboard operator here the past four months, Mrs. Edwin Hazel was wired to return to a steady stretch in Omaha, where her husband lives, and left on the 12th. This young lady is the only deaf Monotype keyboard operator in the world. The cost of patenting and printing her husband's "Hazel's Handy Pocket Parliamentary Chart" was enormous, and the young beauty is helping her gifted husband make a success of his venture. She is now plunking the keys in the Acorn Press there.

Edwin Stafford is in Wesley hospital, where physicians fear they must operate for a piece of glass embedded in his body when—as a child—he sustained a fall on a broken bottle.

Mrs. Claude Russell recently had her tonsils removed.

Mrs. Warren is out after a week in the Francis Willard hospital.

The Susan Wesley Circle met on the 13th—13 guests—with Mesdames Heywood and Ritchie as hostesses.

The M. E. Ladies' Aid Society met at Mrs. Meinken's on the 6th.

Six tables of 500 at the Pas-a-Pas on the 9th.

Twenty-two friends surprised Frederick Meinken on his birthday, April 10th, bringing him several gifts and contributing \$16 to buy a watch-chain.

Mrs. Louise Rutherford and son Kenneth are in Kansas City.

Mrs. C. L. Johnson, of Elgin, paid a visit to Mrs. Meinken.

Mathias, of Elgin, drove in on the 10th.

Dates ahead. April 23—Sac balloon ball, managed by Lawrence Cosentino. 30—Pas lit. Also Ben Hur ball. May 20-21—Annual Bazaar for the Home for Aged Deaf, at Sac.

J. FREDERICK MEAGHER.

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OMAHA.

On Sunday afternoon, February 27th, a number of friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hurt to celebrate the thirtieth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. John Steyer, of Papillion, Neb. They have lived on different farms and when friends visited them, they always extended the finest hospitality, never failing to serve fried chicken and all the trimmings that go with it. Days of Auld Lang Syne were recalled, and the happy couple were the recipients of many gifts and a purse of money. At six o'clock, refreshments were served.

Mrs. Oscar Treuke entertained at a Bridge luncheon at her home, Friday afternoon, March 1st, at which Mrs. Ota Blankenship won the prize. Light refreshments were served.

Mrs. J. W. Sowell gave a Bridge party and kitchen shower, Saturday afternoon, February 26th, complimentary to Mrs. Tom L. Anderson, for the Andersons' new home in Council Bluffs, which they expect to occupy at the close of school. At the suggestion of one of the guests, Mrs. Anderson was blindfolded and requested to name each room she was to go through and succeeded. In the meantime the packages brought by the guests were piled on a table in the living-room. Mrs. Anderson was then led to this table and given a package and asked to guess it's contents. Before she could do so, she was relieved of the blindfold and was surprised to see what stood before her and asked what it was all about. As she unwrapped each package, she gave a sigh of delight and appreciation over the many useful articles, mostly aluminum and pyrex.

Maurice Fahr, formerly of Oskaloosa and Des Moines, Ia., is now in Chicago, where he secured a better position as draftsman with the J. L. Sinlander Co.

The Iowa *Hawkeye*, midwest news magazine for the deaf, is a fine paper and would prove valuable, profitable and interesting to all the deaf in the midwest. It is now offered with the Nebraska *Journal*, together for \$1.25, and with the Kansas *Star* for \$1.50—or all three for \$1.80. How much with the DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL? The *Hawkeye* is now after a suitable slogan and will pay \$1.00 for the best suggested. One submitted by Alfred L. Kent, instructor in printing at the Kansas School, is as follows:—

"To serve, to build, to think, to dream, this midwestern paper chose for it's theme."

The slogan must be brief, neat and worded to express the ideals of the midwest news magazine.

The Cobia Club of Council Bluffs met at the Iowa School, March 19th, and five men members were admitted, making thirty-nine. Three weddings are to occur among the Council Bluffs deaf soon, and it seems they are the result of social affairs in this club. Mr. Charles C. C. Clark is engaged to Miss Stella Dray; Mr. George E. Jackson to Miss Elsie L. Roennfeldt, and Mr. Glenn Seley to Miss Maude Peck, all of Council Bluffs.

Omaha Division, No. 32, gave a Bunco party at the Nebraska School auditorium, Saturday night, March 26th. Cash prizes were given. The committee in charge was Leo Holway, chairman; F. Arthur Clayton and August Gutting. Light refreshments were served. They are now raising funds to send their delegates to the Denver convention.

Mrs. Tom L. Anderson entertained the Council Bluffs ladies at a Bridge party in her apartment at the Iowa School, Saturday afternoon, March 19th.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Bishop have moved from Botna, Ia., to Omaha, and are now living with Mrs. Bishop's parents in South Omaha, till they can make arrangements for a place of their own.

Vernon Butterbaugh, of Akron, O., stopped in Omaha recently, en route to Los Angeles to join his family. He visited the Iowa and Nebraska schools.

Miss Edith Anderson entertained the Gallaudet O. W. L. S., Wednesday afternoon, March 16th, at a Bridge party. A delicious luncheon was served at 6 p.m., the Owls hooting in all nooks and corners of the home. Miss Mary Dobson won the prize for highest score.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Scott Cusaden, on March 20th, a seven-pound baby girl, their fourth child and third daughter. Congratulations.

The Home Circle gathered in the Nebraska School Auditorium, Saturday night, March 5th, and after a short business session, a play adapted from "The Old Homestead" was given. Everyone who saw it remarked that it was a howling success.

Mrs. Albert Johnson entertained the Omaha Ladies' Bridge Club on Wednesday afternoon, March 23d, at which Mrs. C. E. Comp won the prize.

Mr. John M. O'Brien died of tuberculosis at his apartment on South Twenty-second Street, at two o'clock on Thursday morning, March 31st. The funeral was held at Hoffman's chapel on Saturday morning. The brief but impressive service was conducted by a Catholic priest, with Superintendent R. W. Booth, of the Nebraska School, interpreting. Beautiful floral offerings attested the affection and esteem of many relatives and friends, who filled the chapel, reminding us of two former occasions, the funerals of Fred S. Hellsten and Joseph Eckstrom, also members of Omaha Division No. 32. Honorary pallbearers were Messrs. Scott Cusaden, Oscar Treuke, Ziba L. Osman, Arthur Nelson, Dr. J. S. Long. The body was taken to Nebraska City for burial beside his mother. Mrs. O'Brien's family, the Marshalls of York, Neb., were here for the funeral. Her mother will remain for a week or so. Mr. O'Brien was employed in the box factory at the Cudahy packing plant and was popular and respected among the deaf of Omaha and Nebraska.

HAL AND MEL.

BALTIMORE

Miss Helen Moss, Gallaudet '23, is now forming plans to bolster Maryland quota to the Edward Minor Gallaudet fund. This young lady intends to stage a play some time in May in this city, probably at the Y. M. C. A. Between the acts stage, dancing will be performed by a bery of beauties from Gallaudet College. All attending will get their money's worth and know it is a worthy cause. Date and particulars will be announced later.

Since the removal of the restrictions imposed on the deaf drivers, there has been a general rush to the Auto commissioner's office for new cards. No new cards were issued, the old cards having a slip attached with the restrictions were simply punched "cancelled." The commissioner explained that new cards without the restrictions would be issued next year to all passing the six month probation test.

Mr. Ray Kauffman is now the proud owner of a brand new Buick. Quite a number of deaf Baltimoreans have bought autos since the removal of the restrictions. The writer has not secured their names yet.

Taking advantage of the mild weather the Messrs. James McVernon, Harry Oreager, Harry Benson and Charles Oreager motored to Baltimore from Frederick on the 2d. In the evening they attended April meeting of Baltimore Division No. 47, N. F. S. D.

Miss Ellen Peake, ex-Gallaudet '30, of Annapolis, Md., has secured a position with the Delaney Brown Co., and is now living in this city.

Mr. Floyd Brower and Miss Mabelle Dougan left Gallaudet College to get married in this city last month. After two weeks at the bride's home in South Manchester, Ct., the happy couple left for Idaho.

Little Vivian, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lietch, was baptized, by the Rev. O. J. Whildin, at Grace and St. Peter's Church two weeks ago.

Lest you forget—this is to remind you of the coming Frat anniversary Social at morning Star Hall, on April 16th. The committee in charge has been working hard to make the affair a success. A nice varied program has been made up. No admission will be charge according to reports, delegations from Frederick and Washington, D. C. will be present.

On March 30th, a baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jacob King congratulations!

On Palm Sunday five deaf members of Grace and St. Peter's Church—namely, Mr. and Mrs. McClay, Mrs. Helen Wriede, Misses Rachel Moss and Helen Skinner, were confirmed by Bishop Heefenstein.

Rev. Daniel E. Moylan, the Baltimore pastor of the M. E. Church, was twice honored by friends on the occasion of his birthday. On Friday, March 25th, Mr. and Mrs. Anderson honored the reverend gentleman with a party at their home, and on the 26th another party was given in his honor by Mr. and Mrs. James Foxwell.

THE WRIEDES.

PROTESTANT-EPISCOPAL MISSIONS.

Dioceses of Washington, and the States of Virginia and West Virginia. Rev. Henry J. Pulver, General Missionary, Canon Avenue, Alexandria, Va. Washington, D. C.—St. John's Parish Hall, 16th and H Streets, N. W. Services every Sunday, 11:15 a.m. Holy Communion, First Sunday of each month. Richmond, Va.—St. Andrew's Church, Laurel and Beverley Streets. Service Second Sunday, 8 p.m. Bible Class, other Sundays, 11 a.m. Norfolk, Va.—St. Luke's Church, Graby and Bute Streets. Services, Second Sunday, 10:30 a.m. Wheeling, W. Va.—St. Elizabeth's Silent Mission, St. Matthew's Church. Services every Sunday, at 3:30 p.m. Services by Appointment—Virginia: Lynchburg, Roanoke, Newport News, and Staunton, West Virginia: Parkersburg, Huntington, Charleston, Clarksburg, Fairmont and Romney.

PITTSBURGH.

Friday evening, March 19th the Western Pennsylvania School alumni had their first event of the year at the Edgewood School gymnasium, starting with a basket ball game between the school team and alumni, composed mostly of the Pittsburgh Silent scrubs. The latter came out at the long end of the score—22 to 16. It was anybody's game till the close, when the Silents' superiority began to show. Ernest McElroy's goal shooting at long range featured.

Dancing and games followed the contest. The winners at "Bingo" who were given prizes were Ruth Davis, Anthony Drexler (twice), and F. M. Holliday. Archie Hartin won at "Going to Jerusalem."

Admission charges and the sale of refreshments netted a good profit for the "Map Fund," which was the object of the event. The school-rooms need new maps. The present ones are obsolete, the face of the world, especially Europe, having changed considerably since the World War and many new towns have bobbed up. The goal is \$500 and as the legislative appropriations were not sufficient to meet this need something had to be done. The Alumni confidently hope they will be able to raise the full amount before the fall term begins.

The frats held a "box social" at their hall March 27th. There were eight tables of 500. Mr. William Schubach scored most points, 1420, and Walter Erhardt next, 1340. Two and one dollars went to the respective winners. After the games nine boxes of eats donated by the "aux-frats" were auctioned off. There bound to be many unlucky as well as non-bidders our reliable "feedman" James K. Forbes had his usual supplies on hand which were sold at nominal prices. A large crowd attended, the presence of Rev. Henry Pulver adding to the entertainment of the occasion.

The P. S. A. D. branch held its quarterly business meeting Saturday evening April 9th. The attendance was disappointing, many being attracted to two shower parties gotten up by persons who have an idea that the society can get along very well without them—the kind who "let George do it." The familiar faces of the loyal few, who get as much joy out of a business meeting as a social, seemed to be all present. Not much transpired at this meeting, in a fact it was one of the shortest for years but one or two important matters were discussed. It was decided to create a fund of \$500, the income of which is to go to the upkeep of the "Pittsburgh Room" (dining-room) in the Torresdale Home. This income should suffice to replace broken furniture and dishes. The money will be raised from socials.

The case of John Wright, who has been more or less a public charge for twenty years, was brought up, and the opinion prevailed that the only solution of this poor fellow's troubles would be shelter at our Home. For the last two years he has been in the city home at Mayview. In April they usually let out persons who they think are mentally fit and capable of earning their own bread. If by November they are found only to be bumming around and unable to find anything to keep soul and body together, they are taken back for the cold months. Wright got out this April. It is not known whether he has secured work, but it he has it is feared he will not hold on long. He cannot get along with hearing people, who he imagines are mean to him. His education is next to "nil." When a hearing person pokes fun at him, his temper bursts out. In that way he has fallen out with his employers a number of times. But he has never been know to have trouble with deaf people and takes jokes from them in the right spirit. He can do odd jobs around any place and we think he would come in handy at our Home, which needs a couple of able bodied men who would work, as we know Wright would, to earn board.

It is a question whether we can induce this county to pay his board at Torresdale, as it seems one must first be convinced that he comes in the class "Aged and Infirm Deaf." In his right mind he is perfectly capable of loading up a truck with coal. He is docile and harmless among deaf people and our Home would be just the environment for him.

Dorothy Havens, who was compelled to come home from the Kendall School before Christmas on account of failing health, seems to have completely recovered. She expects to return to Washington this coming fall and resume preparations for a college course. Recently she underwent a serious operation.

Harold Smith has severed connections with the Greensburg Times and cast his lot with the Pittsburgh Press as a substitute Linotype operator. He has to work nights, but expects a steady daylight job when put on regular, which he thinks will be soon. Marion Allen is filling his place at Greensburg.

The members of the Ladies' Aid Society, assisted by their hubbies and sweethearts, surprised Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Fry with a miscellaneous shower Thursday evening, March 17th.

It will be noted some of the news is old. The account of the farewell reception to Rev. F. C. Smielau crowded them out in the last letter. It is understood our former missionary will be in Philadelphia April 30th, when the Board of Managers of the P. S. A. D. meets. Prior to his leaving the state he was President of the Society. The position automatically goes to the first Vice-President, Frank A. Leitner. Much as they would like to, Mr. Leitner and the writer, Pittsburgh members of the board, will be unable to attend the meeting on the stated date. Philadelphia is 350 miles away and there are other reasons.

By a new device the deaf are said to be enabled to hear their own voices, so we presume we will know what we are saying hereafter.

The engagement of Miss Birdie King to Mr. Harry Zahn has been announced. The happy event will take place some time in the fall.

F. M. HOLLIDAY.

Canadian News

TORONTO TIDINGS.

Miss Caroline Buchan has now obtained a situation in the same place where Miss Erna Sole works on Spadina Avenue.

We are glad to say that Mrs. R. C. Slater, widow of our much-lamented R. C. Slater, who had been seriously ill, is much improved.

Robert Enslinger, who was so severely injured by an auto a few weeks ago, was progressing favorably at the hospital when the reporter called on him, just before sending in these items, but it will be many weeks ere he is out again.

On April 9th, John Lister Smith was taken to the General Hospital, suffering from a ruptured vessel in his nose, which caused much blood to flow continuously for some time. However, when your writer called see him, on April 12th, he seemed much better. Mr. Smith is nearly seventy-four years of age.

Mrs. Ernest Peterkin, honorary President of our Canadian Girls in Training Society, was greatly surprised on April 4th, when she was presented by the society with a valuable and beautiful fountain pen, as a mark of appreciation for the whole-hearted interest she takes in the deaf. Being the only daughter of the late R. C. Slater, she is universally known and beloved by the deaf. Whenever needed as interpreter, Mrs. Peterkin responds cheerfully and willingly, and fills the gap to a nicety.

"And This is Your Victory" was the theme of an ably defined address given by Mr. J. R. Byrne, on April 10th, showing how we won eternal life by our faith in God. Mrs. W. R. Watt assisted with the solo, "Jesus is tenderly calling."

The members of our Canadian Girls in Training Society were very pleasantly entertained by the branch of the Walmer Road Baptist Church, on April 8th. Our girls greatly enjoyed such hospitality, as well as the sumptuous spread so kindly supplied by their hostesses. By special request, the Misses Alma Brown and Marion Powell rendered "Nearer, My God, to Thee," in their usual pleasing way.

In recognition of her valuable services rendered as treasurer for the past three years, the members of our Ladies' Aid Society presented Mrs. Arthur H. Jaffray with a very beautiful string of pearl beads. Mrs. Jaffray, who was unaware of such an impending event, was so overcome that she could not realize why she was thus honored and heartily thanked the donors.

PONTIAC, MICH., POINTS.

Mr. Albert Siess made himself popular on March 26th, when he picked up Mrs. Frank Hardenberg and her daughter, Miss Eva, and driving to Rochester, Mich., they gathered in Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Brown and continued their journey to Royal Oak, where they had a great time at the social given by Mr. and Mrs. John Berry. They had barrels of fun.

Mrs. Frank Hardenberg and daughter, Eva, attended the St. Patrick Masquerade Dance at the Frat headquarters in Detroit on March 12th, and report a large attendance and of meeting many of their old friends.

After the social at the Berry home in Royal Oak, on March 26th, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Brown remained over night with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hardenberg, then went to their home in Rochester next day. The Browns have been giving the Hardenbergs many a long and delightful ride in their car.

We were so delighted to meet Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stemplofski, of Detroit, at the Berry Social in Royal Oak. Mrs. Stemplofski was formerly Miss Olive Johnson, of Sarnia.

After the masquerade dance in Detroit on March 12th, Mrs. Abby

Brown invited Mrs. Frank Hardenberg and daughter, Eva, to be her guests over night, and next day Mr. and Mrs. Cas. Sadows, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Riberdy and Mrs. Edward Ball motored out and spent the day with them at the Brown residence. It was a reunion of former Belleville School graduates.

Mr. Frank Hardenberg is now steadily working at the Oakland Motors Co., and making up for the time he was on the street "whistling for a job."

After spending March 30th, at the Hardenberg home here, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Brown took Miss Eva Hardenberg with them back to Rochester for a few days' visit.

Miss Eva Hardenberg was lately up in Flint to see her brother, Ernest, and sister, Florence, now pupils at the Michigan School for the Deaf. Ernest has joined the Boy Scouts and is looking forward to the good times camping out this summer.

Mrs. Washburn, a young deaf lady, of Clawson, Mich., was in this city on April 4th, and called on the Hardenbergs for the day. She had her little baby with her. In the afternoon she and Miss Eva Hardenberg went out to a movie show.

The home of the Hardenbergs is being greatly improved in many ways, including a new furnace, and electric appliances to many things there in, thus making it cosy, tony and homelike.

SARNIA SAYINGS

Mr. and Mrs. John Mackie and little son have moved out to the farm of John's father near Dresden, where they will live in the future. Mr. Mackie had been working at Holmes' foundry here all winter.

Miss Alice Leckie has been home for several weeks past on a holiday, but expects to return to Detroit early in May.

The Goodison Engine and Machine works have the contract for the construction of thirty engines and this bespeaks a busy time for our friend Jontie Henderson for the coming season.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mackie and son, Raymond, went down to Petrolia on April 5th to see an uncle, who was very ill. Before returning they gave Miss Edith Squires a pleasant call. The Squires have a home that is a beauty to behold and the cynosure of every passersby.

To perpetuate the memory of their much lamented and only child, Mr. and Mrs. Jontie Henderson have erected a beautiful monument of a grey granite type on the spot where the late Robert Gordon Henderson sleeps his last sleep, and who is still much missed. The monument cost over \$175.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mackie went down to Petrolia on April 9th, to attend the funeral of an uncle, who died after a lingering illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Jontie Henderson entertained Mr. and Mrs. John Mackie and their sister, Miss Alice Leckie and Mr. and Mrs. Elwood McBrien, to a Bunco party on April 6th, and a delightful was spent. Mrs. Mackie won the top prize, while Mr. McBrien took the baby consolation. A dainty lunch was served towards the close.

Since coming here after their marriage last fall, Mr. and Mrs. Ellwood McBrien have made themselves very popular with all the deaf around here. The latter was formerly Miss Whalen, of Peterboro.

Before their departure for their future home near Dresden, Mr. and Mrs. John Mackie gave a nice little party to all their deaf friends here on March 31st. A most delightful evening was spent and all wished Mr. and Mrs. Mackie the best of luck in their new home.

The mother of Mrs. Jontie Henderson, who had been ill, is, we are pleased to say, well again.

Roy Baker motored down to Baltimore, near Cobourg, on April 3d, where he spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Glen Ball.

Mr. H. W. Roberts, of Toronto, was a caller on his many friends in this burg on April 9th.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Butler, the latter a sister of John S. Bartley, have moved to a farm near Vassar, Michigan.

Nearly all the deaf here were invited by Mr. and Mrs. George S. Timpson to a farewell party lately in honor of their cousin, John McLaren, prior to his departure for fields afar. All report a very jolly time.

After working in Brantford for several months past, Geo. Elliott has returned here for good. He is again back on his old job at the Massey Harris Co.

The home of George J. Timpson has been enlarged and renovated and now presents a natty appearance. The Timpsons are making the grade.

Mr. John McLaren, who has been living with his cousins, Mr. and Mrs. George J. Timpson, for several months past, left the other day for Windsor, then crossed over to Detroit. Not being able to find work in the "Automobile City" continued on to Toledo, Akron, Cleveland, Buffalo, and then went to join his hearing brother at Schenectady, N. Y.

Roy Baker had the misfortune to have his right foot painfully injured on April 5th, when a heavy iron

rod at the Wire Works, where he is employed, fell on it. The result was a week's lay off.

Mrs. Eleanor Timpson, widow of the late George C. Davies, died in Toronto on April 6th. She was an aunt of our George Timpson and was 78 years of age.

GENERAL GLEANINGS.

Miss Sylvia Caswell and Miss Helen A. Middleton, of Niagara Falls, Ontario, were in Buffalo for a "good time" over the week-end of April 9th.

Among the members of the Union Church for the Deaf at Los Angeles, Cal., of which the Rev. Clarence E. Webb is pastor, we notice the names of Mr. and Mrs. N. V. Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. William P. Lett, who are well known to the deaf of Ontario.

HERBERT W. ROBERTS.

FANWOOD

Mr. Carl Frisch, who serves the Institution as a tutor, plans to go to Denmark. He will see some European cities and he will return to New York in July. Mr. Reiffenthal, a new tutor, takes his place.

The schoolmates who remember Mr. Thomas J. Orman, of Newburg, will be sorry to hear that his mother, seventy-nine years old, has passed away.

A program for the Fanwood Literary Association was given in the chapel by the class of Grade 6A (Girls) on the evening of April 7th. It was very interesting. The debate was won by the affirmative side by 4 to 0 points. The following is the program:—

DEBATE—Resolved, That one can have a more enjoyable vacation in a camp than at the seashore. Affirmative, Katherine O'Brien; Negative, Edith Kaercher.

Teacher—Edith Kaercher.

Pupils—

Why Bears are Afraid of Men. Dorothy Brandt.

Why the Donkey has Long Ears. Fannie Weishaus.

Why the Sea is Salt. Gertrude Downsky. Olivari.

Why the Cock Cannot Fly. Eleanor Olivari.

Why Bears Sleep all Winter. Alice Rudzerice.

Why Rabbits have Short Tails. Anna St. George.

Why Cats Hate Rats. Congetta Fernandez.

Why we have Mosquitoes. Catherine O'Brien.

Why the Bee Buzzes. Edna Jensen.

Fables—"The Wind and the Sun." Congetta Fernandez, Fannie Weishaus, Edna Jensen.

"The Hare and the Tortoise." Gertrude Downsky, Alice Rudzerice.

"The Bundle of Sticks." Dorothy Brandt, Eleanor Olivari, Celia Kalmanowitz, Anna St. George.

Why Moles are Blind. Celia Kalmanowitz.

A Skit—"A Little Deceit." By all the Class.

Last Friday, the 8th of this month, three hearing ladies were invited to be judges of the dancing contest, which was staged at the girls' study hall. They picked two couples out of forty-five contestants, who danced very well. Two lovely prizes were awarded to Cadet Lieutenant William Kahn and his partner Miss Ellen Pederson, and Cadet Lieutenant and Band Leader James Garrick and his partner Miss Madeline Kaath, and were presented by Principal Gardner.

The Horace Mann and the Fanwood Athletic Association had a dual athletic meet, at the latter's school grounds, on April 13th. There was a big number of entries at every event except the 100-yd dash.

Physical Director F. Lux was very much pleased with the score, which was Horace Mann 54 to Fanwood 18. In 1925 it was 74 to 7. That shows how much our boys have improved and struggled hard against the more speedy teams of the Horace Mann School. It has about 400 students.

Cadet Lieutenant John Kostyk and Cadet Drum Major Frank Heintz were the chief performers.

Cadet Lieutenant William Kahn, who was supposed to tie with best jumper at the school, did not show up.

The summaries:—

100-yd dash—Hodapp, Horace Mann; Smith, Horace Mann; Michelson, Horace Mann. Time—10.2 sec.

One-mile Run—Bunset, Horace Mann; Manning, Fanwood; Heer, Horace Mann. Time—5 min. 17 sec.

220-yd dash—Heintz, Fanwood; I. Smith, Horace Mann; Kostyk, Fanwood. Time—26 sec.

Running High Jump—Hodapp, Horace Mann; Strayer, Horace Mann. Height—5 feet.

880-yards Run—Strayer, Horace Mann; Garrick, Fanwood; Heer, Horace Mann. Time—2 min. 21 sec.

Running Broad Jump—Levy, Horace Mann; Autwaite, Horace Mann; I. Smith, Horace Mann. 17 feet 2 inches.

12-lb Shot Put—Eberstank, Horace Mann; I. Smith, Horace Mann; Giordano, Fanwood. 34 ft. 8 in.

440-yd dash—Kostyk, Fanwood; Levy, Horace Mann; Autwaite, Horace Mann. Time—58.2 sec.

OHIO.

From the *Sunday Respository* of April 3d, we learn that the day school for the Deaf in Canton is doing fine work under the direction of Misses Thornston and Warren. The school was open in 1915, and has always had a good attendance, the number for this year is eighteen. These deaf children after a few years' work are put in the manual training and home economic classes in the school for the hearing children and attend the regular gymnasium classes.

The Ohio Home has had two sisters, aged 40 and 35, added to its list of residents. The two are uneducated and one is partially blind. They were found in Guernsey Co., living in a one-room log cabin built similar to those of a century ago. Just how the two will fit into the life at the Ohio Home remains to be seen.

Mr. and Mrs. George Surber, of near Mowrystown, pleasantly entertained a party of friends, April 3d, at their county home. In the party were Mr. and Mrs. Behmyer and family, of Bethel, Mr. and Mrs. J. Vogelhund, of Hillboro, and Mr. and Mrs. Ora Surber, of Mowrystown. The two latter told of their visit to Dayton for the N. F. S. D. Social, March 26th.

Mr. and Mrs. Vogelhund are looking forward to having her daughter with them in May. For eight years, she has held a government position at Norfolk, Va.

Mr. William Martin is now living with his mother on the farm near Macon, O. His father died last month and the management of the farm now falls upon the young Mr. Martin.

Mr. Elmer McVicker, a graduate of the Ohio School, is now the proud owner of a gold medal as the champion diver of Ohio for 1927 in the state "Y" teams. The championship swimming meet was at the Columbus "Y" pool and Mr. McVicker did some fancy diving.

Mr. and Mrs. August Beckert have for an over Easter guest their niece of Detroit, who is the daughter of Mrs. Beckert's brother, Mr. Seth Davis.

Word has reached us that a well educated young deaf man, claiming to be from Kentucky, has been in the habit of calling on deaf families in Southern Ohio, and after being sheltered over night asks for a loan of money with the promise of soon repaying at interest. Then he quietly disappears. His latest victims were Mr. and Mrs. John Reedy, of Sardinia. Pity such scamps are never called into court.

Mr. Albert Bannon, of Columbus, is the owner of a Buick touring car now. Well do we remember how Albert in his younger days was always trying to run off from school. Now with his car he can satisfy his wanderlust.

On April 6th, Mrs. Joseph Neutzling was hostess to the members of the Columbus Stitch and Chatter Club, at her country home. We suspect she took much delight in letting the members see her 200 young chicks, which she is raising to help feed those attending the Teachers' Convention in June.

The Columbus Branch of the N. A. D. held a meeting Friday evening, April 8th, but being on the sick list we could not attend.

Saturday evening, the Clonion Society had a fine picture show in the chapel, for the benefit of the Home. This society maintains the superintendent's office at the Home.

Mr. Joseph Adelson, of Cleveland, has been confined in a Toledo hospital, but is reported as doing nicely. He was run down by an auto on the Noodville Road near Toledo.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Augustus, of Toledo, are enjoying their new home and all their friends are congratulating them upon owning such a beautiful and complete bungalow. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Koehn, of Wapakoneta, entertained some friends honoring Mr. Jesse Blackburn on March 27th. It was a surprise on Mr. Blackburn to help him celebrate his birthday.

Mrs. Clyde Settlemire, Lima, gave a surprise party on her husband honoring his birthday on March 13th. Twenty six friends were invited and a fine time although they had to venture out in a bad rain storm. Springfield Division N. F. S. D. will give a social in the Parish House of Christ's Church, April 23th. Mr. William Hiner has the affair in his hands.

For the benefit of St. Agnes Mission for the Deaf of Cleveland, there will be a vaudeville entertainment on May 14th, at 8:15 p.m. General admission is fifty cents. Messrs. Harley Stottler and Frank Hayer are in charge of the affair and we feel sure it will be something worth seeing.

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Wedding bells rang again in Akron, April 12th, when Mr. Jay Brown took for his bride Miss Ella Berry. Friends wish the couple a happy married life. Rev. F. C. Smielau is being greeted with

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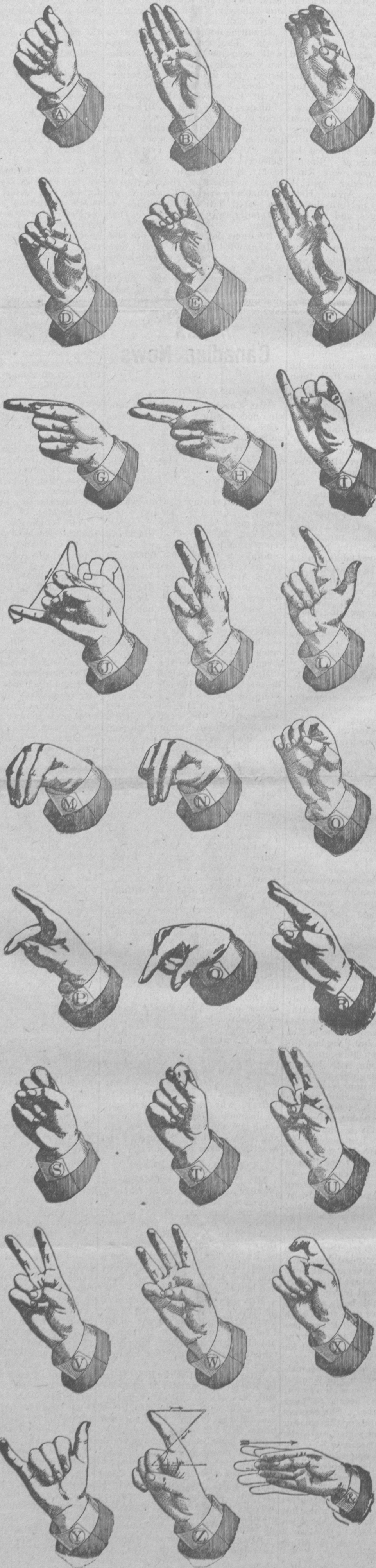
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BIG SURPRISE COMING!

BRONX DIVISION No. 92

N. F. S. D.

Saturday, July 23, 1927

(Particulars later.)